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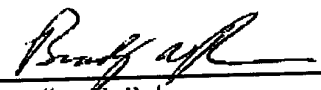
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Dear Sir:

This is an inquiry into the status of the subject application. The application was filed December 1, 2005; no correspondence has been received from the office since the notification on July 13, 2006 that the application would be published.

Respectfully Submitted,



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